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**PATENT**  
Dkt. STL11716

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: **Grant E. Carlson and Karl H. Cunha**  
Assignee: **SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC**  
Application No.: **10/817,378** Group No.: **2835**  
Filed: **April 2, 2004** Examiner: **H. Duong**  
For: **CARRIER DEVICE AND METHOD FOR A MULTIPLE DISC ARRAY**

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

**STATUS**

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

**EXTENSION OF TERM**

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

**FEE FOR CLAIMS**

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY			
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE		
TOTAL	21	– 21	= 0	x \$ 50.00	= \$	0.00	
INDEP.	3	– 3	= 0	x \$ 200.00	= \$	0.00	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM				+ \$ 0.00	= \$	0.00	
				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$	0.00	

No additional fee for claims is required.

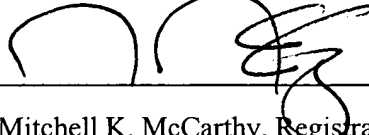
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5. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 06-0540.  
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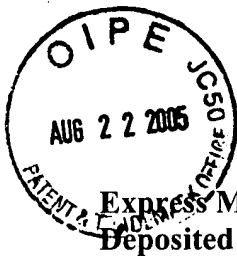
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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**  
**MAILED MAY 20, 2005**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 20, 2005, please enter the following amendments in the above identified United States patent application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.